

STEAM OPPORTUNITY WITH JPL

Application

OVERVIEW

The Los Angeles County Office of Education (LACOE) Expanded Learning Technical Assistance Unit (ELTAU) in its efforts to serve expanded learning programs in the area of STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math), is working with JPL (Jet Propulsion Laboratory) to provide professional development and guidance with high quality Project Based Learning activities in the area of STEAM.

One district/agency, (up to **8** expanded learning sites) will be chosen to work with JPL. This project will allow Site Coordinators, Front-line staff, and Program Directors access to high quality professional development lead by the education office of JPL. A suggested staff team will consist of 1 or 2 program directors, plus 1 Site Coordinator and 1 or 2 front line staff from each selected site. The chosen district/agency must be able to attend all STEAM trainings (dates TBD by JPL and district/agency), and deliver the STEAM content to their chosen sites. The selected district/agency will celebrate their STEAM learning with a STEAM culminating event (Date TBD). It will be helpful if the selected district/agency will be able to provide meeting space for up to 35 persons for the professional development.

Please complete all section of this application. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

Applicants **MUST** have a supervisor/Grant Manager/Executive Director signature in order to ensure that participants can attend regularly and engage fully.

Application DEADLINE is Friday, September 28, 2018.

Email completed application to Sue Gevedon at gevedon_sue@lacoedu.
(Questions: Contact Sue Gevedon at gevedon_sue@lacoedu)

PROJECT REQUIREMENTS

A consistent team of up to 4 people per site (5-8 sites maximum) (1 Site Coordinator, 2-3 front line staff members per site, plus 1 or 2 Program Directors-shared across the sites)

MUST:

- Attend all in-person learning sessions
- Commit to full participation in on-site visits, to see the science in action
- Host an end-of-the-year culminating event, either at each school site, or a larger collaborative event
- Participate in the year-end evaluation of the project.

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Grantee Name:
Name of organization that runs program at sites:
Number of sites you wish to participate in the program:
Names of the Site Coordinators and their respective sites who will participate:
Names of the Program Directors who will participate:
Have you and/or your staff participated in the STEAM COPs? If yes, which location and dates?
Please describe the STEAM opportunities your students have participated in:
Please describe what you hope to gain from participating in this project: